

HUSSAR

Hussar, Jan. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Treacy and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. King motored to Calgary on Thursday. As Mr. King is quite ill, he and Mrs. King remained in Calgary, while Mr. and Mrs. Treacy returned home Friday evening. On their way home, they found an open car overturned near C. Harman's place, with Miss Mildred Jorgensen and the driver pinned under the car. Mr. Treacy assisted them out of their predicament and found that they had not sustained serious injuries.

THINGS TO REMEMBER

On Sunday, Jan. 13, at 12:15 P.M. A. R. Aldridge will hold services in the school house.
On Friday the U. F. A. will hold a dance at the hall.
On Thursday afternoon, the Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. H. D. Brown.
On Thursday, January 24, the V. I. will meet with Mrs. Lawrie.
On Wednesday, Jan. 23, Len Davis and his orchestra will play at the dance in the Hussar hall.

Miss Evelyn Stewart, sister of Mrs. H. A. Tremblay, passed away in Calgary on Friday and was buried on Monday afternoon in Burnside cemetery.
Miss Elsie Keddie, Jason Bell and Henry Jones motored up from High River on Wednesday night and Mr. Jones returned the same day.
The Misses Lola Nelson, Nettie Le Grandeur and Marion Williams went to Calgary on Thursday with Mr. Cassan, who motored on to Rocky Mountain House. Gordon LeGrandeur was a Calgary visitor on Thursday, returning home on Friday.

Vacation over, Robert, Thomas, Raymond and Mary Ellen Kelly, also Carl Steinhilber returned to Calgary to resume work in their respective schools.
E. J. Bell, Miss Bell and Mrs. MacNab motored to Calgary on Saturday. Mrs. MacNab, who has not been at all well for some time, resumed for medical attention. The Misses Iva Evers and Berna Leggett, with W. C. Kirby and J. A. Collins returned with them.

Miss May Trennum and Mr. Herb Rooney returned on Wednesday to report schools on Thursday. Miss Margaret Sykes, who has been ill for some time before Christmas, returned on Tuesday, and reopened the Shallow Waters school on Wednesday.

Miss Evelyn Clift visited in Hussar on Tuesday on her way to her school from Arrowwood, where she has been visiting her parents. Mr. MacFerguson of Lloydminster motored from Calgary on Saturday to visit his mother and brother-in-law, to T. L. Montgomery no sons over the week end.

Miss Anna Hole is back from Duchen where she spent her holidays with her parents and sisters. Graham Montgomery was in charge of the frugsters during her absence. Mr. and Mrs. Caughey and daughter will move north about the middle of the month where Mr. Caughey has been transferred.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Holland with Francine and Madeline returned on New Year's Eve from their trip to Minnesota. Mr. and Mrs. Holland and Miss Evelyn Holland and Miss Meljorie Elliott were Calgary visitors on Friday.

Mrs. K. Schafer and daughter, Betty Lou, who have been visiting Mrs. J. Hough for the past two weeks, returned to Tudor on Tuesday.

DELEGATE CHOSEN FOR U. F. A. CONVENTION

R. Z. Lore, Latham, was the choice of the Bassano local of the U. F. A. to attend the convention at Calgary when they met at the home of Mrs. Iva S. Plummer last Tuesday.
Mr. Lore was instructed by the local to take a stand that a program of Social Credit be instituted in the U. F. A. platform.

The color of honey which varies from water-white to a very dark brown does not affect the food value in any way. The difference in color is caused by the absorption of rays of light in varying degrees of certain substances in the nectar of the different flowers.

MacDonald Briar Again Defeated

The two Bassano rinks of McLaws and Currie successfully defended the MacDonald-Briar Curling Trophy for the sixteenth consecutive time last Wednesday night, when two Medicine Hat challengers were defeated.
McLaws won his game 22-5 after 14 ends of a scheduled 18-end game had been played. Currie lost by the narrow margin of 3 points by 13-10. Total scores count, so Bassano was announced by a score of 22-15.

Personnel

Keith, Simpson, Pierson and McLaws, skip, Upton, Scott, McKee and Currie, skip, were the two Bassano rinks. Boyd, McDonald, Campbell and Dowson, skip, and Porter, Olsen, and Parrish, skip, represented the challengers.

With one or two exceptions, the personnel of the defending rinks has remained unchanged since a score of 132. They have piled up an average of 682 points for 333 points against.
The Brooks Curling Club has a challenge in for the trophy and will be here Saturday night to play off their games.

HUSSAR LOCAL U. F. A. ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Hussar U. F. A. No. 366, was held in the schoolhouse at Hussar on Sat. Jan. 5, 1936.
A review of the year's work was given and was found to have exceeded the most sanguine expectations.
The Local was amongst the five largest in the province. The auditor's report, which was accepted, showed that the Local had done a gross business during the year in excess of ten thousand dollars, covering eight different commodities in carloads. Some of the items were as follows: 12,000 lbs. of grain, 200 tons of coal, 30 cords of wood, 2,400 lbs. of binder twine, 35,000 lbs. of apples and 500 bbls. of fuel.

The Local had sponsored talks by well-known men, including: Wm. Abernethy, E. J. Garland, Donald Campbell, etc. and had staged numerous entertainments during the year, including a play, barn dance, Tomatoes, etc.

It was decided that the Organization should send three delegates to the U. F. A. Annual Convention in Calgary on Jan. 15. Those chosen were: C. T. Armstrong, F. J. Muller and F. E. Campbell.
Discussions during the year have shown plainly that the members solidly desire that the theory of Social Credit be given a practical trial in the Province of Alberta.
The present officers, C. T. Armstrong, President, Peter Reinhold, Vice-President, and F. E. Campbell, Secretary, were unanimously re-elected for another term.

GEM

Gem, Jan. 13, 1936—Although late we are nevertheless wishing our editors and the residents of our locality a very happy and prosperous New Year.
At the annual meeting of the Senior Local of U. F. A. A. P. Miller was elected President, A. Hyrre vice president and W. A. Pollock was elected secretary-treasurer. J. P. Royer, D. J. Hane and George Diekmann were elected as directors; and Mrs. Hyrre and C. W. Archibald were chosen as delegates from this local to the Canadian Union to be held in Calgary beginning January 15.
C. W. England and Miss L. Pollock returned from Calgary on Wednesday where they spent the Christmas holidays at their respective homes. Miss C. Hanna returned on the same day after spending the holidays with her parents near Wetaskiwin. School reopened on Thursday, Jan. 4 with the complete staff of teachers on duty.

Mr. Ford has been received that Miss Sarah McLeary, sister of the late Jim McLeary, is seriously ill at her home in West Virginia.
The Catholic Ladies, assisted by the Catholic Ladies of Counties and Rosemary, will unite in putting on a dance in the Gem School in the middle of March. Entertainment is provided in the form of a variety program, dance and auction sale and donations. Watch for date announcement!

On New Year's Day many Gentiles visited or entertained their friends.
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FIREMEN'S BALL

Friday, January 25th, is the date to keep in mind. On that auspicious evening, you will meet every man, woman and child in the district, all gathered at one place—the Bassano Masonic Community Hall. The reason for being there is—why, the FIREMEN'S BALL, the only annual affair sponsored by the Bassano Fire Brigade.

This bunch of worthy fire-eaters does not intend to spare any expense to make the dance a roaring success. The best of orchestras will be hired. Indeed, the committee is on the track of one of the very best right now. What will precede the dancing and handsome prizes will be awarded. Tell your favorite fireman that you want one, two, three or more tickets and see how fast he dithes them out.

BOWLING



The mixed bowling league tournament was brought to a successful conclusion last Friday, January 4th with the four ranking teams competing in the finals.
In the first round Flak defeated Bacon in two straight games. In the second round Yule defeated Whitehouse in two straight games. This left Yule and Flak to play for first and second prize. These teams were so evenly matched that a third game was necessary to decide a winner, and when the final ball of the tournament was bowled, Flak was found to be the winner by the slim margin of three points.

The Winners

1st Team—G. Flak (capt.), Miss G. Scherer, Mr. and Mrs. C. MacLachlan.
2nd Team—Miss J. Yule (capt.), M. Haynes, Mrs. A. G. Scott, L. Edwards.

Individual Winners

Gent's High Score—Jas. Stinson—425.
Ladies' High Score—Mrs. L. Whiteborn—297.
Gent's High Average—Jas. Stinson, 208.2.
Ladies' High Average—Miss G. Scherer, 155.
A total of \$14.00 in prizes was distributed as follows:
1st team: \$25.00; 2nd team: \$12.00; individual prize-winners: \$3.00.
Final Standing of Teams:
Team G.P. You Lost pc
Whitehorn 36 30 6 533
Flak 36 27 9 476
Yule 36 25 11 464
Bacon 36 24 12 456
Young 36 24 12 456
Hansen 36 21 15 432
Gayford 36 16 21 418
Warren 36 16 21 418
MacLachlan 36 15 21 416
Thompson 36 14 22 388
MacGregor 35 14 22 388
Simpson 36 9 27 250
Brodie 36 1 35 927

Anyone wishing to know their individual scores or averages may do so by phoning the management.
The management wishes to thank all those who assisted in any way in making the league a success.

ROSEMARY

ROSEMARY, Jan. 3.—R. Norton motored to Medicine Hat last week. D. McLellan was the lucky winner of the radio on the punchboard at Joe Chabot's store.
Virginia Taitford and Jackie Adams won first prize in the contest at the Rosemary store.
Most of the farmers attended a meeting on the new irrigation project in the school last Saturday.
Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John Narum on the birth of a daughter, who last at Medicine Hat.
Miss Cora Narum, Everett White, Miss Kinkaid and Bill Hamilton, of Brooks, left early Monday morning for a motor trip to Raymond, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pickett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Young were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McInnes on Friday evening.
Mr. Locke has been in ill health for the past few weeks.
Miss Adams was home for the holiday from Duchen.

Brundsen Explains Marketing Boards

M. W. Brundsen, secretary of the Provincial Livestock and Poultry Marketing Boards in Alberta, was the guest speaker at the Board of Trade luncheon last Wednesday. Accompanying Mr. Brundsen was Chas. McKinnon, of Didsdale.
Interest locally in the Natural Product Marketing Act has reached a high pitch, but due to lack of information, intelligent debate on the Act has been handicapped. Mr. Brundsen explained that an insufficiency of funds had prevented a more extensive educational campaign. As soon as the Alberta boards obtain their share of the Dominion appropriation plans would be made for spreading detailed information.

A great deal of unfair propaganda has been circulated, said Mr. Brundsen, and in every instance the basis of these reports have been false. Contrary to popular opinion, no representative votes have been taken on the plan, that will be established. The developments of the plan were traced from their beginnings by Mr. Brundsen. They were begun by producers and framed to give them a better return for their products without increasing too greatly the cost to the consumer. Organizations and individuals are backing the plans to the utmost, Mr. Brundsen said.

The idea, he stated, was to obtain unlimited power for the local boards so that when a crisis arrived, no time would be wasted by applying to Ottawa for legislation. This power need not be exercised until such critical times existed.

Mr. Brundsen deplored the rumor that gigantic plots were erected. He said that trade would follow the usual channels but that control over the products would certainly be effected. The Act would be compulsory in that it major voted for it, certain the minority must fall in line.
Mr. Brundsen was tendered a vote of thanks on behalf of the Board for the valuable information which he imparted to his audience.

PROPOSED ALBERTA LIVESTOCK MARKETING SCHEME

A scheme for regulating the marketing of live stock produced in the Province of Alberta, which was prepared by live stock producers, has been reviewed by the Dominion Farm, Cattle and Horse Marketing Board.
The proposed scheme has been printed and those interested may obtain copies by writing to the Secretary of the Dominion Marketing Board, Confederation Building, Ottawa.

Representations in writing with respect to the scheme and applications for appointments by those desiring to appear in person before the Board will be received by the Secretary up to February 5th next.
The following representatives of the scheme will receive final consideration at the Board.

DUCHESS

DUCHESS, Jan. 8.—The school started on Thursday after a holiday since Dec. 21.

The new Duchess Girls' Club met with Grace Pratt on Thursday evening, when it was decided to have a bazaar and tea on February 15th. They met with Christina Dunsmore this week and are now saving for the bazaar.

Roy Noble and Spencer Wengler, who are here visiting from Oida, attended the hockey game between the Ducks and Patricia team Sunday which resulted in a score of 9-1 for Patricia. Harlan Huck made the goal for Ducks.

Jim Dunsmore had the misfortune of breaking his nose on Sunday when he was hit by the puck while acting as goalie at the hockey game. Stanley Svensen substituted for him.

Mr. and Mrs. Brundley and children spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Root on the way to Edmonton, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. Standek, who has been quite ill in the Bassano Hospital, is much better.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ferguson entertained at home Friday night. Mrs. Sisson and Mr. Brown won frats and Mrs. Leudrum and Mr. Beck, consolation.

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BASSANO SENIORS LOSE THREE STRAIGHT

The Bassano Senior Hockey Team took the low end of the score in three games played in as many nights this week. The Glencles Indians, in a hot session here Wednesday night, managed to take out a 4-3 victory. Arrowwood offered a stone-wall defense to the Bassano visitors on Tuesday, trimming their feathers by 5-1, and on Monday Bassano took the low end of a 5-2 score at Brooks.

The boys handed out an aggressive brand of hockey, pushing the play into the final whistle in all three games. Credit is due to Manager "Sandy" Sandgathe in getting together such an enthusiastic team from the scattered players available.
BASSANO VERSUS GLINCHEW
A good game to win and a tough one to lose. The Indians forced the play in the first period, netting two goals, the first by Tom Studds, and the second by John One Gun to Dave Yellowhorse. Bassano came back fast to net one from "Jingy" Marquardt to Ival Warren on a nice play, that will be "Jingy" Stiles banged one in on a scramble around the net, taking the lead from Al Cadot.

The Redskins forged ahead in the final round by a counter-attack. One Gun to Sam Alchid, following a tangle by Alchid. The local boys forced the play in the third period, with Cadot the centre of the bulk of the play. Bassano, on a real solo, skated through the whole team to place one in the net, the game ended soon after.

Glencles Indians—Goal, Jack Roy; Def. Tom Studds, Dan Lavill; F. Phillip Running Rabbit; Forwards: Sam Alchid, Dave Yellowhorse and George Willis; Cutler, Moses Maguire and D. Yellow Woman.
Bassano—Goal, Allan Yule; Def. Al Cadot and J. Nesbitt; Forwards: "Jingy" Marquardt, Ival Warren, Ed Stiles, Al Hansen, "Dory" Stiles, "Rusty" Bassarab and "Blower" Smith.
Referee—Bert Downs.

BASSANO VS. ARROWWOOD
The boys conducted a campaign in to Arrowwood territory to meet a well-balanced aggression and to explain the situation. Bassano, 2-1. Bassano netted two tallies, H. McCullough two and C. Norton one. Our lone tally was whipped in by "Jingy" Marquardt.

Don Nesbitt received a head injury in the second period, Allan Yule replacing him as net-minder.

Arrowwood—Goal, Sharp; Def. Ed Stiles, Al Hansen, Forwards: Norton, McCullough, Mason, S. Beale, R. Oliver and E. Mason.
Bassano—Goal, D. Maurer; Defence: A. Cadot, Yule, J. Nesbitt; Forwards: "Jingy" Stiles, T. Stiles, A. Hansen, I. Warren, W. Marquardt, P. McLean.

BASSANO VERSUS BROOKS
The boys in cold weather on those too good days. Bassano taunted with their old rivals to receive their first loss of the week. The Senators landed in front of goal of players and had to explain the services of C. Gibson of Brooks to fill out the alternate forward line. Ralph Marquardt was outstanding for Bassano, scoring our two goals, unassisted. The Brooks score was made from goals by Matt, Sparrow(2), Nelson, Sturn and Nelson.

Brooks—Goal, Stafford; Def. T. Nelson, P. Russell; Forwards: W. Kay, J. Sturme, Cameron, Harper, Martin, Rynd and Baird.
Bassano—Goal, E. Marquardt; Def. Al Hansen and J. Nesbitt; Forwards: I. Warren, P. McLean, W. Marquardt, T. Stiles, A. Hansen and C. Gibson.

NEW STEEL BRIDGE ON HUSSAR ROAD

A new steel bridge is being built over the Crowfoot on the main road between Cluny and Hussar, replacing the old structure erected in 1916. It is estimated that it will be 2 feet wider, making it 13 feet; but 20 feet would be more convenient as it has often been impossible to get across with farm machinery and farm equipment. As farm machinery will likely become larger, the addition of only 2 feet may not meet the situation in another few years.

It is recommended that this road be graded through those somewhat dangerous six miles south of the present bridge, and connected to the new bridge by a gravel road. The whole distance from just east of Cluny right through to the gravel east of Hussar. This would give the section a good road both to Bassano and Calgary.

Municipal Elections Slated for February

The municipal elections are again in the immediate offing and plans are being made to hold the elections in the council chambers of the Town Hall on February 4th. Voting will take place at the same place on Feb. 11th. Jas. H. Donaldson was named retaining officer by the Town Council.

Councillors McKee, Currie and Playfair and Mayor Bredin have completed their terms in office and may stand for nomination again.

Council Notes
A letter from the Board of Trade concerning the destruction of trees around the cemetery by rabbits, was read. The Board suggested that the Council take over the work of protection. The matter was referred to the Cemetery, Health and Relief committee for action.

Permission was granted the Bassano Street Station and Garage to erect a sign on the main highway, one block south of the hotel, subject to the town engineer's instructions. E. Skeritt was named deputy mayor for the next three months.
Secretary-treasurer Jas. R. Donaldson reported receipts for December totalled \$3,627.35.

Bonspiel Dates Set For Jan. 14th to 16th

The Bassano Bonspiel opens Monday, January 14th and all probabilities will last for three days—and what stays.
George Stiles is handling local entries, and there will be several old Bassano rinks eager to get into the battle.

Neighboring towns of Brooks, Hussar, Cluny, Strathmore, Arrowwood, and Patricia have all promised to send in rinks. Eaton's, the Glencle Club and the North Star Oil, all of Calgary, are each sending strong contingents. Ross Dickman, a well-known Calgary sportsman, will skip the North Star rink, it is reported.

The draw will be posted next Sunday so be sure and get the time at which you are to play fixed firmly in your mind.

SYLVAN LAKE TO HAVE PERMANENT PIER

The Chamber of Commerce, in conjunction with the Sylvan Camp, will move to provide a permanent pier for the beach of Sylvan Lake, which will provide a sheltered boat harbor and an improved bathing beach. Three acres of land will be laid out, the first at the foot of Main Street, the second a few blocks east, and the third probably at Low Park.

REGISTRATION OF PISTOLS

COMING JANUARY 15th AND REVOLVERS
Commencing January 15th, 1935, all persons possessing pistols and revolvers must register same.
This is pursuant to an Amendment of the Criminal Code of Canada, Sec. 121, which reads as follows:
"Notwithstanding anything contained in any section of this Act relating to the issue of licenses for pistols and revolvers, everyone is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding fifty dollars or to imprisonment for not more than six months, or to both fine and imprisonment, who has in his possession a pistol or revolver without having registered the same."
In the following cities and towns these weapons must be registered with the Chiefs of Police:
Edmonton, Calgary, Lethbridge, Wetaskiwin, Drumheller, Medicine Hat and Red Deer.

Outside these places pistols and revolvers must be registered at the nearest R.C.M.P. Police Detachment, and, wherever possible, the registration should be made by the owner in person. However, such procedure would impose a hardship on the owner, registration may be made by an agent or by mail.
Following are the particulars required for the registration certificate:
Manufacturer's name.
Calibre.
Serial number.

A registration certificate is entirely separate from and does not take the place of permits to carry revolvers. Permits to carry revolvers will still be required.

ADVICE TO
GARNET GROWERS

Beginning August 1st, 1935, the Dominion Government has made provision for the separate grading of Garnet wheat. The price that will be paid for this variety will probably be governed by the demand. If the demand is not closely related to the quantity produced, there may be a reduction in price which will make it unprofitable to grow this variety. The most profitable variety of those recommended in Alberta can only be determined by the farmer himself.

Farmers who intend to grow Garnet for another year would be well advised to make preparation to have seed of some other suitable variety ready for sowing in 1936 in the event of prices for Garnet being too low for profitable production. A good plan would be to obtain a few bushels of certified Redwax or Red Rob 222 in the spring of 1935 and sow it on clean summerfallow land or break in. In some districts Garnet could be replaced with Marquis, in which case registered seed should be obtained. When the grower wishes to discontinue growing Garnet, he will have on hand sufficient seed of a good variety for 1936. The cost of changing to a new variety by this method should be within the reach of every farmer. If such a plan is followed, great care should be taken that the new variety selected does not become mixed with Garnet.

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Items from the Past

Extracts from old
Files of The Mail

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

Thursday, January 8, 1920 - Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Weaver on

Friday, December 18th, a son,

Charles Clark, who has been man-

aging a huge six-section farm near

Moose Jaw during the past season,

is visiting in town for a few weeks.

NOTICE - Will the person who ex-

changed coats in Bill Fortner's barber

shop kindly return the one he took

away, as the one he left is too small

to fit the wellfed body of

Roy Smith.

The first hockey match of the ses-

son was held on Sunday, when Glen

then trimmed the locals to the tune

of 4-2. It was undoubtedly the pre-

sence of the visitors, mascot, Skinkney

Downie, which turned the trick for

them, for they had nothing on our

boys.

Billy Fortner says next time he

keeps goal for the hockey team he

is going to wear his baseball shoes

and catcher's mitt, while McCrory

declares he will have a wire fixed to

the puck so it will not get away from

him so often.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodbourne of Crow-

foot gave a dance to about 30 couples

on Friday night, in honor of Miss

Lettie Rodbourne's birthday. Lunch

was served about midnight and dan-

cing continued until about 5 a.m.,

after which cards and another

lunch was the program until morn-

ing. It is needless to say that a good

time was had by all present.

One of the most successful of the

many community gatherings held at

town was that arranged by the Wom-

en's Auxiliary of the U. P. A. on

Tuesday, January 6th. Practically

every resident in the Colony was

present, and a most enjoyable even-

ing was spent. The sale of the boxes

and lunch netted a large sum of

\$120.00.

The newly installed officers of the

Bassano Lodge are: 1 P. M. A. Mc-

Keen; Wm. Master, E. R. Muir; S.

Warden, R. Wight; J. Warden, C. F.

Booley; Sec., E. H. McCaughey;

Treas., H. Ford; Chaplain, A. F. Mc-

Callum; S. Deacon, F. Brennan; J.

Deacon, O. Madill; S. Steward, H. E.

Deebert; J. Steward, D. G. Cogger;

Prior, J. Hobbs.

Some Pointers for
Real Curlers

The following interesting suggestions might well be posted in any curling rink. Curlers and former curlers would undoubtedly appreciate their veiled significance.

Always be late. This may be your only chance for publicity.

Never be in a hurry to pay your dues, the caretaker does not need his money. If approached by the secretary, tell him that, owing to unsatisfactory weather conditions, and a few other reasons, you have not curled many games. In sympathy, he may cancel your obligations altogether. If all allies should be submitted before the game, you may not need them, but you likely will.

Sweepers should be careful to fill gracefully across the ice just as the shot is being delivered. If possible both sweepers should cross.

This form is called "the double cross," and helps the shooter's eye and the skip's temper. This is done for the same reason that a chicken crosses the road.

If a skip misses a shot, the other three players should collect on the ice and hold a social gossip. This helps the skip's next shot.

If a third man is away, the skip should never move up his men. This might give them a swell head.

Pick the strongest player in the waiting room. The spectators will never notice.

As soon as the lead or second man delivers his shot, he should hurry back to the tee and take up his position behind the sweeping screen. He may be more valuable there than in his proper position, as his foot may stop a rock which would otherwise slide out. Besides, if the players line up in a solid wall on the tee, it encourages the spectators to go home to bed - Rush-Exchange.

"Well, Mrs. Johnson," a colored physician announced, after taking her husband's temperature. "Ah has knocked de fever outen him."

"Sho nuff!" was the excited reply. "He gwine git well, den?"

"No'm," answered the doctor, "dey's no hope to him, but you has de satisfaction on knowin' dat he dis-cured."

Petition to Govt. Drawn Up
-Ready for Presentation

The Contract Holders' Committee has been instructed by the Provincial Government to publish the following:

PROPOSED EASTERN SECTION
IRRIGATION DISTRICT

TO THE OWNERS AND PURCHASERS OF IRRI-GABLE LANDS IN THE EASTERN SECTION.

TAKE NOTICE:

It is proposed to petition the Provincial Government in the following form to erect the area comprised in the C.P.R. Eastern Section into an Irrigation District.

To the Minister in Charge of the Administration of The Irrigation Districts Act.

Sir:-

WHEREAS the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, as owners of the irrigation system serving what is known as the Eastern Section, and as registered owners of almost all the lands contained in the said Eastern Section, has offered to incorporate the said irrigation system and all their interests in an irrigation district which may be formed to the provisions of The Irrigation Districts Act, and that any necessary legislation in that behalf be introduced at its next session of the Alberta Legislature;

And your petitioners will ever pray

LAND OWNED WITHIN PROPOSED DISTRICT. Purchaser Frac. Sec. Tp. Rge. M. W. H. owner or purchaser of irri-gable land in the Eastern Section, ob-jecting to the formation of the said area into an irrigation district should not later than February 1, 1936, notify the Minister in Charge of the Administration of The Irrigation Districts Act of his objection in the following form:

TO THE MINISTER IN CHARGE OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE IRRIGATION DISTRICTS ACT. Government Buildings, Edmonton, Alberta.

Sir:-

As purchaser of the following irri-gable land --- Township --- Range --- West of the 4th Meridian, I object to the forma-tion of the C.P.R. Eastern Sec-tion into an irrigation district for the following reasons:

Witness

(Signature)

(Address)

Any owner or purchaser of irri-gable land may sign either the peti-tion or the objection form at the of-fice of the Royal Bank of Canada at either Brooks, Duchess, or Bassano. As well as the Banks, the committee and their canvassers will be pro-vided with the necessary forms very shortly.

C. H. Powlett,

Solicitor for the

Contract Holders' Committee.

On Saturday night a party of friends, surprised Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Young at their home upon the occasion of their fifteenth wedding anniversary, and extended to them both their best wishes for many happy years ahead. The evening was much enjoyed playing bridge. Those there were: Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Young, Parrell Hovey, Perry Barker, Melvin Muir, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Feuske, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wheatley, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hobbs.

Visitors to Calgary over the week end were: Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wheatley, Mr. and Mrs. T. Pedersen and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Penske have quite delighted the eyes of Chancellor by bringing home a 1930 Dodge sedan in exchange for their Chevrolet coach.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Peterson on December 24, a girl.

First Little Boy: Doctor Jones brought our baby.

Second Little Boy: We take from him, too.

Dedication

The Mail dedicates this number to Curriers here and anywhere where curriers curl. We hope they appreciate in particular the very apt description of each member of a curl published on an other page and which has been clipped from an exchange paper.



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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

The Sheffield, England, city council, for the fifth time in a few years, has voted against allowing Sunday golf on the municipal golf course.

Slot machines will not be allowed to operate in Yorkton any longer it was decided by the Yorkton council at its final meeting of the year.

An 11 per cent. increase in wheat production and a six per cent. growth in wheat acreage in England and Wales this year was announced by the ministry of agriculture.

The first fatal attempted bank robbery within the memory of Buffalo, 1,000,000 inhabitants, cost the lives of a cashier and one of three bandits.

Sir Flinders Petrie, 81-year-old archaeologist, has just ordered that his wife for northern Syria to search for remains of a civilization of 5,000 years ago.

Ernesto Charon, President of the Argentine Republic, was found dead in the vestibule of a building in New York under circumstances regarded by police as suspicious. He went to bed in better shape this year than last year. Hon. John J. MacLellan, minister of public works in the Alberta government, said at Sydney, N.S.

M. H. Gaudin, Indian agitator, has been warned by the British government for India that any attempt to revive the civil disobedience campaign will not be tolerated.

Generally speaking, the entire country is suffering from a severe drought. An Express despatch from Warsaw said that Gregory Zaslavsky and Leon Kamenetz and the families of both were hustled aboard a freight train and hauled into exile on Soviet soil, Russia's "Devils Island" in the White Sea.

Old Human Relation

Patients Like Doctor To Show Personal Interest In Them

When he exhorted the medical students to remember that patients are human beings, Sir John Ross Bradford cannot the layman, or grade.

In those days of extreme specialization and dark complexity of medical science it may not be the doctor's fault that patients sometimes feel that the old human relation has been washed and the sufferer becomes only a case.

The excessive function of the old bedside manner is desired by few people nowadays, but we would not have our doctor scientifically impersonal. London Daily Telegraph.

Old Fort Montgomery

Belongs To United States And Once Called "Fort Blunder"

The fortification known as "Fort Blunder" was started in 1816 at Runnes Point, N.Y., under the supervision of a United States engineer. The plan of the fort was octagonal. It was to be 10 bastioned and occupy about three-fourths of an acre. The walls were to be about 20 feet high. It was believed that the fort would be of great strategic value, but in 1818 it was found that the fort was located within the limits of Canada and work was abandoned. It was known for many years as Fort Blunder. Its correct name is Fort Montgomery. By the Webster treaty of 1842 the fort was ceded to the United States.

Locate New Stars

Super-Giant Stars Detected By Infra-Red Photographic Plates

Detection of a class of 20 super-giant stars by use of infra-red photographic plates which "see" heat, has been observed to travel for distances of 100 years, hopping along on the hind legs, six to eight feet at each jump. The stars prefer to run up hills, instead of down, when frightened.

A man is fond of his dog because his dog thinks him a wonder.

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NEW ARCHBISHOP

Archbishop James Charles McGowan, of Regina, who has been appointed metropolitan of the Roman Catholic ecclesiastical province of Vancouver, succeeding the late Archbishop McNeil. At 40 years of age, he is the youngest archbishop in America.

Lest We Forget

War Film Designed To Bring Canadians The Lesson Of The Value Of War

While the government cannot be said to have "gone Hollywood," it is nevertheless true that the picture is not so much an appreciation of the problems attendant upon evolving a title for a moving picture.

An event meeting of the price committee held the unusual spectacle of the nation's administrators seriously worried and racking their brains as they tried out various titles for the film shortly to be produced under government sanction. Finally an inspiration struck the cabinet, and "Lest We Forget" was born and approved.

And so, "Lest We Forget" it is the name of the picture captured from many thousands of feet of film taken overseas during the war, and, turned into a concrete and coherent story of Canada's war effort, designed to bring home to the Canadian public the stupidity and fruitlessness of war. The picture is being presented and will have its premiere early in the new year under the auspices of the Canadian Legion.

The production is of feature length, dividing the war into three definite periods.

In all sequences the cost of war is vividly illustrated.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

HAM MOILDS

- 1 cup cooked ham, chopped fine
 - 2 tablespoons butter
 - 1 cup bread crumbs
 - 1/2 cup milk
 - 1 egg
 - 1 teaspoon sugar
 - Salt and pepper to taste
- Mix butter, Add bread crumbs and milk. Cook five minutes, stirring constantly. Add ham, egg, sugar, salt and pepper, including sugar. Pour into buttered custard cups. Set up in pan of hot water. Bake in a moderate oven until firm. Serve with white sauce.

SOFT MILK CAKE

- 1 cup sugar
 - 1 egg
 - 1 large lump butter
 - 1/2 cup milk
 - Mix well together, then add
 - 1 cup baking molasses
 - 1 teaspoon baking soda dissolved in 1/2 cup of warm milk
 - 1 full cup sour milk
 - 1 teaspoon cinnamon
 - 1 teaspoon nutmeg
 - 1/2 cup raisins
 - 1/2 cup floured, seedless raisins
 - 2 cups sifted flour
- Mix all together and bake in a medium oven about 25 minutes.

Plan Was A Success

Western Lambs Again Sent To Ontario For Finishing

The experiment of bringing western range lambs down to Ontario for finishing which was started last year in being repeated this year in a much larger way. At the present time close to 7,000 lambs are on feed with some 65 farmers. Twenty-four carloads of lambs from 10 western sheep ranches are now scattered throughout central and eastern Ontario and will be marketed as soon as they reach proper weights.

The Casuarina, a Brazilian stream, sometimes flows in one direction and sometimes in the other.

Notable Progress Made
by Royal Bank of Canada

Deposits Increased \$50,000,000—Liquid Assets \$382,172,287
—Profits Down Slightly After Heavier Taxes

The financial statement of The Royal Bank of Canada for the year ended November 30, 1934, reflects a period of improvement in business conditions. Figures of total assets, deposits, cash, investments, commercial loans and note circulation all show an increase during the year.

Total assets are \$758,423,004, which shows \$382,172,287 are liquid, being 50.16 per cent. of total liabilities to the public, compared with 50.76 per cent. a year ago. Cash, cheques and bank balances aggregated \$145,083,031, or 24.35 per cent. of total liabilities.

Government and municipal securities have increased during the period from \$113,922,000 to \$135,220,450.

Big Gain In Deposits

The outstanding work of the statement is the increase of \$50,543,510 in liquid deposits of the bank. It is understood that \$41,347,354 of the Canada, the balance of Canada's savings deposits being up \$11,126,350.

The annual General Meeting of shareholders will be held at the Royal Bank on Thursday, January 10th. The principal account with commercial banks for the year, are as follows:

	1934	1933
Total Assets	\$758,423,004	\$707,879,476
Deposits	\$382,172,287	\$331,628,777
Loans in Canada	\$135,220,450	\$113,922,000
Loans in Foreign	\$28,942,008	\$24,405,260
Deposits	\$124,452,370	\$118,738,480

FASHION FANCIES

Investigates Sound Waves
Finds New Principles On How Sound Waves Function

Discovery of new principles of how sound waves act, useful in ways ranging from making speakers better heard in halls to improved understanding of chemical compounds, was the \$1,000 prize of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

The winner was Prof. Vern E. Knudsen, chairman of the department of physics of the University of California at Los Angeles. His paper was entitled, "The Absorption of Sound in Gases."

The prize is awarded annually by the association for a noteworthy scientific paper on the program of annual meeting, and is usually given to a comparatively young scientist rather than a man who already has many important papers.

Prof. Knudsen has found that oxygen in the air plays the most important part in the dying away of some sounds because it absorbs sound very rapidly. Also moist air usually transmits sound better than dry air. For each different pitch or frequency of sound there is a different degree of humidity or moisture of the air which absorbs the sound most rapidly.

Air can be "conditioned" for best possible hearing conditions. It was explained, for Prof. Knudsen has found a way to calculate the "acoustic transparency" or rate at which sound will die away in air, at any temperature or degree of humidity.

Older Resident

Ontario's Oldest Able To Thrive At Age Of 111

Canada's most famous citizens, Dionne quintuplets of Callander, Ont., have been in the public eye since they were born more than 10 years ago. But less than 10 miles from their birthplace is a man who lived past the century mark to become a figure in the news.

John Birch is his name. He lives at North Bay. His age is 111. He is probably the oldest person in Canada. He celebrated his 111th birthday on June 4 last, just a week after the quintuplets were born.

He is a native of Sebastopol, a veteran of the Crimean war and has been in Canada since 1866. His eyesight is so keen he was able to thread a needle on his birthday. He did not even require help as he walked down some steps a verandah.

Scattered across Canada, the number of persons well beyond the age of 100. For its population, Nova Scotia boasts an impressive number of centenarians. When the old persons at last went into effect last spring, 10 persons in that category were included.

The Indian elephant ranks third highest among intelligent animals, the chimpanzee is first and the orang-utan second.

The temperature seven miles above the earth is nearly constant, according to scientific belief.

An Extraordinary Figure

Lloyd George Is Man World Cannot Ignore

It was a summer afternoon in 1890 when Mr. Gladstone, in frockcoat and waistcoat, complimented Mr. Lloyd George, fresh from a by-election in Carnarvon. In the long years since then two reigning British sovereigns have died, the British Empire has fought two wars, dynasties and nations have disappeared, the map of the world has been changed, and now we read that this same Lloyd George, whose voice has sounded through all this din of four decades of world upheaval and revolution, is to launch a new political movement. In his 71st year, veteran of a thousand fights, he is "hacking on his sword."

No need to ask of the movement which Lloyd George is to lead. The arresting thing here is not the movement, but the man, late beginning of a new chapter in the story of a leader whose career defies fiction. Men may debate the wisdom of his policies, or hate him violently; it is impossible to ignore him. Whatever history's final verdict upon him, whatever it may decide about his policies and his motives, it will have to write of him as one of the most extraordinary figures of his time—Ottawa Journal.

State Aid For Blind

Heavy Problem Is Faced By Canada's Blind National Institute

Increased demand for its products, maintenance of income at the level of the past four years and expansion of services to the rural blind were 1933 developments that greatly concerned the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, Captain A. E. Baker, managing director, disclosed in an interview recently.

Despite maintenance of income, the greatest problem faced by the institute remains the aged unemployed blind. "The institute is making every effort to relieve this condition," said Captain Baker, "but it is recognized that the only adequate solution is the maintenance problem, where need exists, must be a form of state allowance or pension for the aged blind."

At present 7,300 blind persons are registered, the oldest of whom is John Martin, of Kingston, Ont., 108 last September. He became blind when 101 years old.

Photographic Blood Cells

Natural Color Germ Photos Shown To Scientists

First photographs of germs and blood cells in their natural colors—colored pictures of the invisible that give doctors a speedy new aid in diagnosing and studying diseases—were exhibited to the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Another feat, penetrating the human body to photograph both dimly seen organs and the progress of treatment with infra-red rays, the same kind used recently to make airplane pictures of cities and other objects through obscuring haze, was shown in the same exhibit, sponsored by the Biological Photographic Association.

Divine Shroud

Science Claims To Have Proved Authenticity Of Belief

Science, with the aid of infra-red rays, claims to have proved the authenticity of the Divine Shroud, a possession of the Italian royal family. Infra-red photographs taken of the Shroud and the Tunic—a relic accepted by the Roman Catholic church as the actual Tunic worn by Christ when bearing the Cross to Calvary—show blood stains on both garments.

Experts claim that the marks on both relics correspond with the Biblical details of the Agony of Christ. On the Shroud there are traces of the face of Jesus. The Tunic shows traces of a shoulder wound, which, it is claimed, was undoubtedly made by the weight of the Cross.

Leaves Its Mark

Criminologists have discovered a new form of detection method by which it is claimed one can establish reasonably definitely who fired "the gun." The method is based upon the fact that certain quantities of nitrates and nitrites which are the combustion products of gunpowder are deposited upon the hands of anyone who fires a revolver or pistol.

She—"Did you have any trouble with your French when you were in Paris?"

He—"I didn't, but the Parisians did."

England has now only one maker of hand-made nails; C. Williams turns out 50 pounds of giant bare nails in eight hours.

Little Journeys In Science

(By Gordon H. Quest, M.A.)

Sulphur is an element which occurs abundantly in a solid, uncombined state in nature. In the free state, that is uncombined with other elements, it forms volcanic districts of Italy, Sicily, Iceland, Mexico and other places. It is also found in abundance in Sicily and in the United States.

Sulphur in the combined state, that is joined with other elements is much more common and widely distributed than native sulphur. It is found chiefly as sulphides and sulphates. Sulphides are chemical compounds containing sulphur and one other element, usually a metal. Many sulphide minerals are of great value to man, such as iron pyrites, copper, lead, zinc, nickel and bismuth, lead sulphide or galena, and mercuric sulphide or cinnabar. Iron pyrites looks very much like gold and hence is called "fool's gold."

Sulphates are found in vast quantities, both in the earth's crust and in the sea. They are much more common than sulphides. One of the most important of the sulphates is gypsum, which is used in agriculture and in the manufacture of plaster of Paris.

Sulphur compounds are also found in the vegetation of the earth. In the animal kingdom, sulphur is found in the hair, wool, the blood and other parts of the body. Sulphur is also found in petroleum and in coal. It is an undesirable substance in the manufacture of rubber and in the manufacture of explosives.

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Gift Of Tea For Queen

Century Of Production Marked By Empire Tea Growers

Last year was the centenary of the tea-growing industry in the British Empire, and the tea-producers of the Empire have celebrated it by presenting to the Queen a casket holding 15 pounds of tea. The casket itself is a lovely thing, made of Bombay rosewood inlaid with Ceylon satinwood and ebony, and the tea inside is unique. It is blended from 15 of the finest tea gardens, seven from Ceylon, six from India and two from East Africa.

One of the components of this rare tea is a tea from Darjeeling, which looks more like tobacco than tea, and is described as having a "very fine, muscatel flavor." It is probably the most expensive tea in the world, \$3.25 a pound, and is used in minute quantities for flavoring teas of humbler variety.

Queer Religious Rite

Devotees Of Betty In India Have Long Fasting

For five days annual religious celebrations recently were taking place in connection with the worship of the deity Sri Rama. Each devotee is required to write the name of Sri Rama ten million times, the belief being that this gives salvation to the writer. The process takes each devotee years to accomplish. The writing is done in specially prepared books, with rules and columns, so as to make counting easy. All books of devotees are placed near the image and worshipped, with flowers and incense, during a number of days. The books, along with the image are taken out in procession. After the celebration the books are taken to sacred temples of Sri Rama and offered to the god.

Just Name Of Book

The title of the book, says Gladys Tantsingauken, is just the name of a book, and she should know where she speaks. Being a full-blooded Indian, her name is Miss Tantsingauken. She was named by the United States government to take a census of the tribe's numbers in England. Her survey showed 175 of them living in that territory.

Make Fast Run

Mail carriers who sometimes look grumpy with death on the storm-wet trails of northern Manitoba have made their first run between Norway House and Cross Lake. The planes take on the 60-mile route from this northern trading post and another of the courier mail rails will fade away.

Warden (to Rector) "I think your congregation has turned the corner. We're getting a better class of button in the collection than we used to." — Pearson's.

"Mumsey, I was playing in the garden and the step ladder fell."
"Well, run and tell Daddy."
"He knows—he's hanging on the window-sill."

Church at the Blessed Virgin

Rev. J. Burton Thomas, Rector
First Sunday after Epiphany
Children's Service.....11 a.m.
"The Story of the Other Wiseman."
Evening.....7.30 p.m.
"The Tale of a Quest."
Everybody Welcome.

Knox Presbyterian Church

Rev. John Hart, Minister
Sunday, January 13, 1935.
11 a.m. Sunday School
7.30 p.m. Evening Worship
Sermon Subject:
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Local and Personal News

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HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 18th

An interesting debate on the proposed "St. Lawrence Waterways Question" will take place in the Masonic Community Hall on Friday evening, January 18, at 8:30 p.m., with Fred Thompson and Ben Fugger, Bassano high school boys, opposing a team from the Brooks high school. The students have been working on this debate for two months or more and have prepared concise, effective speeches. Their topic allows them much scope in choosing their material, and under the expert guidance of L. Whitcomb, principal, they have grasped the important points in the scheme.

On the same night a team composed of George Stiles and Archie Johnston will journey to Brooks to debate on the same topic.

VOTING ON IRRIGATION PROBLEM PROGRESSING

Already approximately four hundred votes in favor of the proposed irrigation project have been received. The Mail learned today. The experience of the canvassers is that about 95 per cent of the votes have been secured as in favor of the plan. The work of Mr. Teit White, Wm. Sheffield, and Carl Anderson is given as the reason for the success of the poll.

SOCIAL CREDIT MEETING HELD

A Social Credit meeting was held in Bassano January 8th, at which a study group was organized and officers elected.

The meeting was well attended and the necessity of arranging for taking of a straw vote on Social Credit in the Bassano District during this month was discussed.

The next meeting of this group will be held Thursday, January 11, at the home of Mr. George Morrison. Everybody welcome.

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Canadian Pacific

VICTORIA-CANADA'S EVERGREEN PLAYGROUND-VANCOUVER

Mrs. J. J. Birtch, of Majorville, is a patient in the Bassano Hospital.

Mrs. Freda Leonard has gone to Calgary to take a beauty culture course at Miss Jean Carroll's.

The Bassano Local Sunshine Organization appreciate the co-operation of Bassano citizens who donated so freely to provide Christmas cheer for children of needy parents.

The many friends of Mrs. John Dods, of Morningdale and a former resident of this district, will regret to learn that she is a patient in the Holy Cross Hospital, Calgary.

Mrs. Marion Ellison, formerly of the Bassano Municipal Hospital Board, is establishing his office in the hospital building this weekend. From now on, Mr. Edwards will be reached by phoning or calling at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McKinnon left Monday evening for Durham, Ontario, where an uncle of Mrs. McKinnon is very ill. They will travel via the U.S. and will visit Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Blankenship, former residents of Bassano, at Essex, Ontario, on the way.

Mrs. Caillie, of the Bassano Hospital staff, caught a speckle of moth in the hospital last Wednesday. The moth was of a pale green color (not the clothes-eating variety), and had found its way into the building from outside. The moth appeared to be suffering somewhat from the cold, and unless some moth doctor suggests a sure cure remedy for careful handling of frost-nipped cousins of the butterfly, we fear we shall have a pale-green corpse on our hands.

COUNTESS

COUNTESS, Jan. 8. — May and Fred Heid entertained a number of their friends at their home on Dec. 25th.

Arthur Waddell returned on Friday from Calgary, where he spent the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thompson, Mr. Hery and Miss McRoberts were New Year's guests at the Benjamin home. W. Parrott and B. D. Benjamin are planning to go to Manbyberries, Alaska next week.

J. Newman, Geo. McIntosh and J. Jensen enjoyed New Year's dinner at the Simpson home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cowan spent Saturday evening visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Gamble.

Don't forget the dance at Countess Friday, January 11th.

Marie Robert and Paul Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Gamble, Donna and Marianne, May Heidt, Miss K. E. Walsh, Emma Fitchiger and Clifford Jones were guests for New Year's dinner at the Bliss home.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE OR TRADE—1927 Chrysler Sedan.

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WANTED—Coal Heater; Must be in excellent condition. Apply The Mail Office.

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The sets are on display and a printed list of what you can get for each unit of \$25.00 in coupons.

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Ladies' Black Calf Pumps. Leather lined throughout, a smart, dressy shoe.

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Ladies' Purses

Lot Purses, left over from Christmas selling. Real Leather and French Tapesstry. Fitted mirror and small purse.

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Ladies' Black Pumps

Leather lined, solid calf, bow front, spike heel. One of the season's newest.

reg. \$3.95, bargain, \$2.95

Ladies' Silk Hose

"Fashion Fit" ladies' fine quality hose, fine fashioned, elastic velt. A wonderful hose at 50c a pair.

Bargain price, 35c

GROCERIES SATURDAY & MONDAY, JAN. 12 & 14

APRICOT JAM, Purity Brand (no pectin), 55c

4 lb tins..... 55c

SYRUP, Roger's Pure Cane, 2 lb tins, each..... 23c

SALT, free running iodized or plain, 2 cartons 25c

BULK DATES, fresh and moist, 4 lbs 23c

PEANUT BUTTER, Squirrel Brand, 4 lb tins 50c

NAVY BEANS, Ontario hand-picked, 4 lbs 23c

PICKLES, Dyson's sweet mixed, 34 oz. jars, Each,..... 31c

CANNED FRUIT SPECIAL—1 tin red pitted Cherries, 1 tin Apricots, 1 large tin Peas, All for..... 65c

CORNER BEEF, Libby's,..... 12 oz. tin 15c

BREAKFAST COCOA, Fry's,..... 1/2 lb tins 25c

CREAM OF WHEAT,..... per pkg. 25c

CANNED VEGETABLE SPECIAL—1 tin Corn, 1 tin Tomatoes, 1 tin Peas, 1 tin Pork & Beans,..... all for 53c

CANNED PUMPKIN, Libby's, fancy quality, large tins,..... each 15c

TEA—Malkin's Best broken orange pekoes, lb 53c

COFFEE—A.G. Economy Blend, freshly ground or Bean,..... per lb 33c; 3 lbs..... 96c

LAUNDRY SOAP P & G white naphtha, 11 bars 47c

WASHING POWDER—1 large pkg. Jiff Flakes and 1 bar Pearl naphtha soap, all for..... 23c

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Pine Head Lettuce - Cuban Tomatoes - Fresh Rhubarb - Cauliflower - Celery - Sweet Spuds - Parsnips - Turnips - Carrots - Cabbage - Spanish Onions - all fresh for the week end.

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